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In reply to the final Office Action mailed on July 25, 2005, a response to which is due, with a one-month extension fee, no later than

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the Applicants submit this amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.114 together with a petition for a one-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and a Request for Continued Examination. Two dependent claims are added and one dependent claim is cancelled, such that one dependent claim is actually added. Please charge the \$120.00 fee for one month extension of time, as set forth in 37 C.F.R.1.17(a)(1), the USD \$790.00 for the RCE fee set forth in 37. C.F.R. 1.17(e), and the \$50.00 fee for the added dependent claim, as set forth in 37 C.F.R.1.16 (h), to Account No. 12-0415 for the fees and for any other additional fee if applicable. A duplicate copy of the first page is enclosed for account purposes. Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

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